

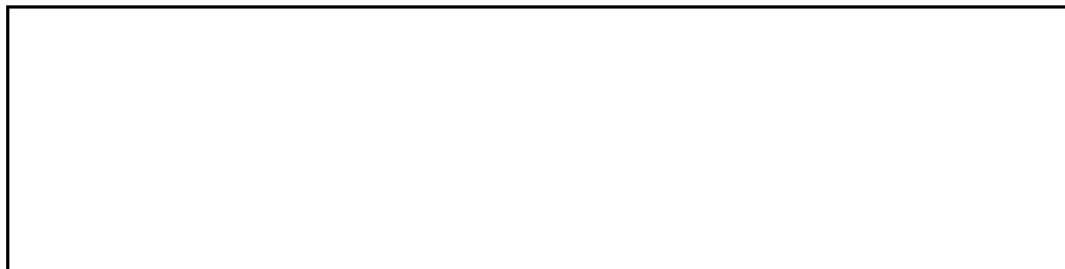
15 June 1963

MEMORANDUM FOR MR. McCONE

SUBJECT: Budget Presentation on Monday

1. The Comptroller, his people, and I are prepared for the budget presentation Monday morning. In line with our discussion with you yesterday, Mr. Bross and I feel it essential that you make an opening statement of some substance which will indicate your thorough occupation with all the activities of the Agency, particularly at the policy level, and the same occupation with other members of the Intelligence Community. You should also let the Committee know of your intimate knowledge of the various changes that are and have been taking place, mostly at your direction. Specifically, these include your own reorganization within the Agency as well as the establishment of the NRO and the budget changes incident thereto. We also think it appropriate, in connection with what is a very modest personnel increase, to brief the Committee on the highlights of your "professionalism" paper. Once you have covered these things, I will then go into the details of our budget requirements.

2. The foregoing is designed to show the Committee that you are: (a) in charge of the intelligence community as a whole at the policy level; (b) fully knowledgeable of Agency operations inside and out; and (c) fully aware of the allocation and expenditure of funds for Agency programs.



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3. I recommend that you give the attached 3-page statement, or words generally to that effect, to include a brief discussion of "Professionalism in the CIA".

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